

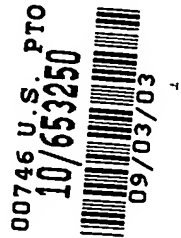


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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of **Abdelkrim BENCHAIIB, Serge POULLAIN, Jean-Claude ALACOQUE, and Jean-Luc THOMAS**
A METHOD AND A COMPUTER FOR DETERMINING THE STOPPED ANGULAR POSITION OF A ROTOR, A CONTROL UNIT, AND A SYSTEM INCORPORATING THE COMPUTER
Assignee: **ALSTOM**
Our Ref. **Q77247**

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 24 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and 5 sheets of drawings. The executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment documents will be submitted at a later date. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified).

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>21</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u>1</u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>\$18.00</u>
Independent claims	<u>2</u>	-	<u>3</u>	=		x	\$84.00	=	<u>\$0.00</u>
Base Fee									<u>\$750.00</u>
TOTAL FEE									<u>\$768.00</u>

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$768.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
France	02 11 002	September 5, 2002

The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,
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